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COFFEE GRAINS (as amended)

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Examiner:

In response to the final Office Action dated July 6, 2009, please amend the aboveidentified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.